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FELL FROM A TRAIN AT CONWAY JUNCTION

Was In Full Cowboy Rig, Including A Big Revolver---Came East With Cattle

Jack Dawson, claiming Dorendo, Cal., as his home was brought here early this morning on a freight from Conway Junction and taken to the Cottage Hospital, suffering from a broken hip the result of a fall from train No. 71 while passing Conway Junction.

Dawson was picked up by the crew of a freight train just east of the Conway Junction station and he was removed to the station and held for the next freight train coming west.

Dawson was dressed in a full cowboy rig with leather breeches, a wide hat, and he wore around his waist a belt in which was hanging a big army revolver.

At the Cottage Hospital he was attended by Dr. Berry, who found that he has a badly injured hip, but whether it is broken he was unable to decide.

He gave his age as twenty-two years, and said he had come east with

a car load of cattle from Colorado, and was on his way home when he fell from the train about seven o'clock Wednesday evening. He thought he must have been unconscious for some time as he has no recollection of the time after his fall until he was discovered by the railroad men several hours later. Dawson was perfectly sober and apparently tells a straight story, but the railroad men who understood that he fell from train 71, were at a loss to understand how he could have fallen from a vestibule train. If he fell at seven o'clock it must have been from the Yankee, due in this city from Portland at 7.20.

In either case he is lucky to be alive, as that train travels at great speed past Conway Junction.

MRS. MURPHY'S FUNERAL

The funeral of Mrs. Julia Murphy

was held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception this forenoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Edward J. Walsh.

The burial was in St. Mary's cemetery under direction of O. W. Ham.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD

Thomas Hatherman, a former resident of this city, died on Tuesday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. McGrath on Federal street, Newburyport, after an illness of several years. He was aged thirty-eight years.

Mr. Hatherman was for many years a cutter at the Portsmouth Shoe Company under the late William E. Stover and a going man well liked by a host of friends in this city who learn of his death with much sorrow.

While residing in Portsmouth he was a member of several of the social clubs and left here for a position in Haverhill when the old Portsmouth Shoe Company went out of business.

MRS. WILDER GOES TO LAST REST

The body of Mrs. Daniel Wilder, who died at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. John S. Thibon, Jr., on Badger's Island, was taken today to her home in Brockton, Mass., where the funeral will be held on Friday.

THE POINT IS GONE FOREVER

Job of Removal Has Been Officially Inspected

A Submarine Diver Has Explored the Bed of the Harbor

According to the official report made from the last survey of Henderson's Point by the crew from the U. S. S. Eagle and the department of yards and docks, the work has been completed and this report of the same has been sent to Washington, which ends one of the biggest engineering feats in the history of the country.

The contract for the removal of the point was awarded in August, 1903, to the Massachusetts Contracting Company and the appropriation for the removal of the same passed Congress in August, 1902. The price was \$750,000 and the Massachusetts Contracting Company was the lowest of three bidders.

On July 22, 1905, the big blast occurred which was witnessed by 18,000 people, when forty-five tons of dynamite were used to lift the rock and scoria. The company began dredging and removing the rock in January, 1906, and has been until this date on the job which has been marked by accidents of all kinds that greatly delayed the work.

On Wednesday a diver from the yards and docks went along the bottom of the river and found it practically a smooth and clear surface in every part where the point formerly stood.

The report gives thirty-five or more feet of water at low tide and there is nothing to interfere with the navigation of the largest ship that floats. In fact, there never has been, even with the point standing. Now that is gone, let us be thankful and wait and see what the navy department will hand out for an excuse when Portsmouth navy yard is putting up a fight for ships and work which should have come here long ago, regardless of Henderson's Point or any other old point.

STILL FIRE ALARMS

Chemical Called to Fight Lively Blaze on Richards Avenue and Another on School Street

The chemical engine was called out on Wednesday afternoon to fight a chimney fire at the residence of John Stewart on School street.

This morning another alarm called the crew to the residence of L. G. Dore on Richards avenue where a lively blaze had been started on the

roof from a defective chimney. At the latter place the firemen had plenty to do in extinguishing the blaze.

Some damage occurred to the furniture of one of the rooms before the crew succeeded in getting the fire under control.

NO PROFIT IN MILK

Many New Hampshire Farmers Going Out of the Business

"W. H. Hampton Falls, writing in Country Gentleman, says: 'Severe drought continues, no rain having fallen for 20 days, and other parts of the state have suffered more than this section. Springs and streams are getting low and many wells dry, which causes much inconvenience in getting water for domestic and other purposes. Weather very hot for time of year with atmosphere heavily laden with smoke from forest and other fires. Frost at two mornings during the month, which did little damage.'

Weather favorable for securing seed crop grass, considerable of which has been grown in spite of drought, less than half a crop of apples, but they are large and well colored, and when gathered yield more than was expected. Some have begun to pick, as apples are more forward in ripening than usual.

Contractors offer the same price for milk as last winter, which is not satisfactory to farmers, as milk feeds are very high, a short hay crop and other conditions have increased cost of production. Many who have produced milk for the Boston market are going out of the business, finding more profit in selling the cows for beef. So many cows have been disposed of in this way that a milk famine seems to be imminent during the coming winter.

WHERE HAS HE GONE?

Colored Lad Arrested on Wednesday Goes in One Door and Out the Other

A young colored chap named Crabtree, who was imported from Newburyport and who has kept everybody busy since he landed here, added more notoriety to himself on Wednesday.

Complaint was made that the dusky lad was annoying scholars at the Parsonage school and Officer Quinn brought him in. As he landed in the station he got his shins peepers on the door and had no more than been landed before the captain's desk when he dashed out the side door like a phantom and dashed up Porter street at a clip that would have kept any automobile busy to head him off.

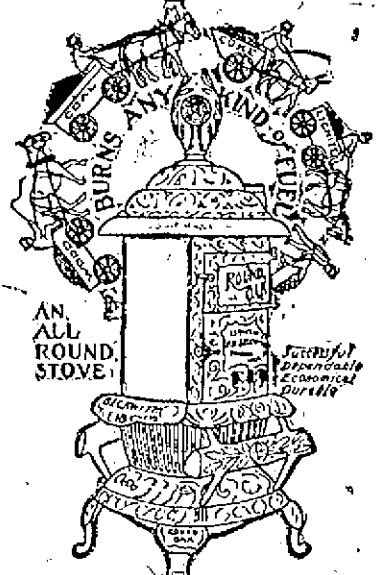
Since then he is among the missing and the police hope he has returned to the place from whence he came.

SHOT BY HIS FATHER

Serious Mistake Made by a Hunter in Town of Sutton

Sutton, N. H., Oct. 15.—Guy Couch, aged seventeen, was shot by his father, John Couch, yesterday, while out partridge hunting near their home in Sutton. The two men became separated soon after entering the woods and while the young man was groping for his gun, which has been blown off, he was mistaken for a partridge by his father, who fired about forty bird shot at the young man's shoulders and head. As soon as the accident was discovered a physician was summoned and most of the shot were removed. It is thought that the boy will recover.

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EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

YORK BEACH DEPOT WAS BURGLARIZED LAST NIGHT

Thieves Did Not Linger Long Enough to Get into Private Office

Some time Wednesday night, or early this morning, the York Beach station of the Boston and Maine railroad was entered and the automatic gun and telephone money receivers broken open in a hunt for money. Very little was obtained by the crooks for their work and less than

thirty cents was found in the gum machine.

Entrance was made by breaking open the rear window and it is assumed to be the work of boys. The ticket office was not disturbed and nothing was found missing other than the small amount of money taken from the machines.

SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS TO PORTSMOUTH CHURCHES

Adventist and Baptist Churches Are to Benefit by Bequests

Public Bequests in wills just recorded in the Rockingham county probate registry at Exeter include:

Four hundred dollars to the Second Advent church of Portsmouth by the late Joseph H. Berry.

Two hundred dollars to the Sunday

school of the Portsmouth Baptist church and \$100 to the Newington cemetery by the late Mrs. Hannah P. Newton of the latter town.

The residue of the latter's estate is to constitute a fund for the support of preaching in Newington's Unitarian church.

MONEY THROWN IN THE FIREPLACE

Portsmouth Woman Thought That She Had Lost \$170

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Cyril E. Jackson of Middle street, on her return home from shopping discovered that her handbag containing \$170 was missing. A hunt was made for the lost purse and the matter reported to the police but nothing could be learned regarding the same until late in the afternoon when the money was discovered in the fire place at her home.

The hand bag which had been left on a table with a lot of paper had been gathered up unnoticed and thrown into the fire place.

The discovery was made in time to save the money but the hand bag had taken fire and a good part of it had been burned.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of James Jamieson, who died in Manchester, will be held from the Methodist church Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

GIVEN A FAREWELL SUPPER AND DANCE

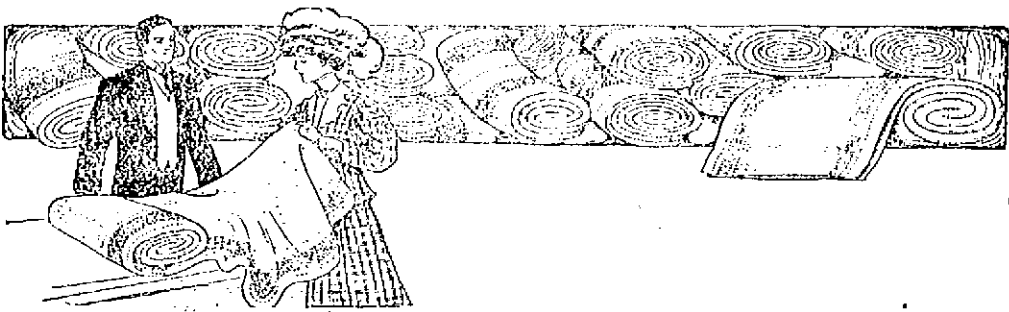
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Foster Remembered By Their Friends

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Foster were on Wednesday evening given a farewell reception and dance by about forty of their friends.

At six o'clock a supper was given at Mrs. E. M. Fisher's in their honor and following this the party adjourned to the Portsmouth Yacht Club, where there was a frolic dancing party until midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster will leave this city this week and he will assume his new duties in New York on Monday. Mr. Foster has been in this city many years, and in that time has made for himself a host of friends, who are sorry that he will make his home so far away from this city. His wife is a Portsmouth lady equally as popular as her husband.

Most all of Portsmouth's physicians now ride instead of walk.



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A COMPLETE AND FASHIONABLE EXHIBIT OF DRESS FABRICS AND SILKS IN STAPLES, FANCIES AND NEW NOVELTIES.

The looms have excelled themselves. The Fall and Winter Fabrics are surpassingly beautiful, original and bewildering in variety.

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SPECIAL SILK VALUES.

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SATIN RAYE, 20 inches wide, in black, navy, brown, great value, \$1.25 per yard.

SATIN MAJESTIC, in black only, the newest thing in satin effect, 22 inches, every yard warranted, this silk is heavier than a Messaline and drapes beautifully.

BLACK TAFFETS, 18 inches wide, extra value at 50c per yard. 36 inches wide at 80c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard. 35 inches wide, all the leading shades, \$1.00 and \$1.37 per yard.

PLAIN LINING SATIN, guaranteed for two seasons' wear.

LINING SATIN, Herringbone Weave, in black, gray, tan and white, guaranteed for two seasons' wear, at \$1.00 yard.

COLORED DRESS GOODS.

36 Inch Serge, brown, gannet, two shades of navy and black, 50c yard.

New Shadow Stripes and Herringbone, in all the leading shades, 50c yard.

Satin Stripe Foule, in six new colorings, \$1.25 yard.

Herringbone Fancies, in stripes and combination colors, \$1.25 yard.

Fancy Broadcloths, in checks and stripes, \$1.25 and \$1.60 yard.

Herringbone Chevron Serges, 50 inches wide, in brown blue and new green, \$1.25 yard.

48 Inch Checks, in a variety of colorings, \$1.00 yard.

Gray Herringbone Serges, in all gray and gray with colored line, \$1.00 yard.

48 Inch All Wool Diagonal, new Fall colors, \$1.00 yard.

Fancy Checks and Stripe Taffets, \$1.00 yard.

Storm Serges, navy blue, 30 inches wide, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard.

Cheviot Serge, navy blue only, 75c yard.

41 Inch Colored Battiste, brown, green, navy and evening shades, 60c yard.

52 Inch Novelty Stripes, blue and brown, 50c yard.

Plain and Fancy Mohairs, blues, grays and browns, from 80c to \$1.00 yard.

Vigella Flannels in Plaids, for Dresses and Waists, 75c yard.

Colored Broadcloths, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard.

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250 " 200 " " 2.50

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New Wire Service Begun In
Boston Today.

SPEED AND ECONOMY.

Thousand Words a Minute Transmitted by Delany System at Lowered Cost—Telegrams Delivered by Special Messengers and "Teleposts" Carried by Letter Carriers—Features of Company's Work.

Boston, Oct. 15.—The Telepost company, inaugurated here today its system of receiving and sending messages. The Delany method, controlled by the company, the newest and most rapid method of transmitting intelligence electrically, in connection with the postoffice delivery system, is now an actual fact in American life.

With the transmission of the first Telepost message from Boston to Portland, Me., handed to the Telepost operator here by Mayor Hibbard of this city, the Telepost was put into operation between the two cities, the first including the following way stations: Lowell, Mass.; Lawrence, Mass.; Haverhill, Mass.; Exeter, N. H.; Portsmouth, N. H.; Dover, N. H.; Hiddford, Me.; Saco, Me., and Old Orchard, Me. In each of these cities there is now a Telepost office prepared to receive and transmit messages.

The Telepost transmits and receives messages at the rate of a thousand words a minute, from twenty to forty times as many as any other telegraph system now in operation. The Telepost utilizes the full carrying capacity of the wire, while others get only 10 percent.

The Telepost company gathers messages and sends them on its own lines. It delivers the messages itself by its own special delivery service, the messages then being carried by the familiar "telegrams" or it relays for delivery upon the well organized postoffice department run by Uncle Sam. In the latter case the message is known as a "Telepost." The company also receives messages through the postoffice department, for transmission to near or distant points—that is, a man living in one of the cities named or within mailing distance of it may write on his telegram or his "Telepost," drop it, addressed to his correspondent near or far, in care of the Telepost company. The latter will attend to its prompt and speedy transmission. The telephone may also be utilized by the Telepost patrons.

In addition to telegrams of the new style and Teleposts, the innovation in the wire world includes the "telecard," which is to the telegram and the Telepost what the postal card is to the letter. In other words, it is a shorter telegram transmitted at a lower rate.

The rates charged by the Telepost company are uniform, whether the distance traversed by the message is ten miles or a thousand—twenty-five words for 25 cents delivered by the Telepost messengers or fifty words for 25 cents brought to your door by one of Uncle Sam's gray-coated men. The charge for the telecard is 10 cents for ten words sent to any place reached by the Telepost company's lines.

A special envelope of odd size and attractive design makes it easier for the mail distributors to recognize and handle Teleposts. The telecard is also of special design in order to facilitate postoffice handling.

While the service inaugurated today includes only the cities named above, the Telepost company has already closed contracts to make rapid extensions from Boston in other directions.

The scene in the Telepost offices at the opening of the new service was a most interesting one. The audience included, besides Mayor Hibbard, a large number of men prominent in the business and professional life of this city. The newspaper men who were present not only looked upon the putting to practical use of the invention of Patrick B. Delany as an interesting thing of news, but as one that is expected to affect vitally their own business of news gathering and publishing. The Telepost company intends to establish at its offices in the various cities a bulletin service, giving the most important news items of the day in skeleton form, referring the readers to the newspapers for details.

The first message transmitted over the Telepost lines was that of Mayor Hibbard to the mayor of Portland, Me., congratulating the latter upon the inauguration of the new system. The first Telepost message will be preserved as an interesting memento of the occasion. Among those present were Patrick B. Delany, the inventor of the system; B. Lee Sellers, the president of the company; R. H. Sellers, its secretary and treasurer; and J. W. Larish, its electrical engineer. The various operations of the Telepost, such as the perfecting type, the transmission of messages, handling the receiving tape, etc., were fully explained and aroused the highest interest.

The Telepost system has won the highest commendations from expert authorities in electricity. Thomas A. Edison, with whom Mr. Delany worked years ago, said of it: "The system in its entirety is so simple that it is perfectly fool proof."

MORE ABOUT MAZDAZANS.

Witnesses For the Defense in the Shaw Case Give Their Testimony.

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 15.—The hearing in the Shaw case, in which the petitioner, Mrs. Mabelle M. Dutton, seeks to have a conservator appointed for the care of the property of her aunt, Mrs. Ellen M. Shaw of Lowell, who, it is claimed, is about to give away her estate to the Mazdazans, was continued before Judge McIntyre in the Middlesex probate court yesterday.

The defense began to put on witnesses. A. M. Mayhew of Goshen, N. H., a brother of Mrs. Shaw, testified that he knew his sister was interested in the teachings of the Mazdazans, but that he felt that it was none of his business and believed his sister was fully capable of managing her own affairs. Mrs. Elizabeth A. George of Worcester, whose husband is a half-brother of Mrs. Dutton, testified that for three years before her marriage she lived in Mrs. Shaw's household; that she saw no failure, bodily or mentally, in Mrs. Shaw in recent years, and that she never saw an altar in Mrs. Shaw's house.

Frank S. George, half-brother of Mrs. Dutton, said that Mrs. Shaw seemed to him to be perfectly normal. He was at Mrs. Shaw's home Labor day and had been told by Mrs. Dutton that Mrs. Shaw had converted all her property into cash and that she expected to give it to the Mazdazans. The witness declared that he did not consider a gift for such a purpose an indication of a falling mind.

FOREIGN MINISTERS IN ACCORD.

Agree Upon Details For Conference of Powers.

London, Oct. 15.—According to what apparently is an inspired statement with regard to Russia's position, which appears in The Times this morning, a practical agreement has been reached by Mr. Iswolsky and Mr. Edward Grey, under which the conference of the powers will discuss the question of compensation to Turkey, Serbia and Montenegro, but the Dardanelles question will be left for separate negotiations later, between Russia and Turkey.

Russia agrees with the western powers that the compensation given to Serbia and Montenegro should not be at Turkey's expense, and holds that it is to Europe's interest to facilitate in every possible way Turkey's heavy task in completing the constitutional reforms.

According to the statement, Russia desires a revision of the agreements concerning the Dardanelles, but does not wish to make the revision a part of the conference program or to force it upon Turkey.

A SUNDAY SCHOOL PARADE.

Providence, Oct. 15.—One of the largest parades of church workers in the history of New England took place in Providence last evening, when 1200 men Sunday school workers marched through the streets of the city. The event was the closing feature of a five days' session of the twenty-eighth annual state Sunday school convention. The procession was headed by a band, Christian Conquest banners and the Stars and Stripes were seen at frequent intervals in the line.

NO PROOF OF MURDER.

Bridgport, Conn., Oct. 15.—The trial of Mikala Mikita, charged with the murder of Frank Olinosky at Shelton, was ended in the superior court by the entering of a nolle, and Mikita walked from the courtroom a free man. State Attorney Johnson told the court that the state could not conscientiously ask the jury to bring in a verdict of murder in the first degree. It is understood that Mikita was able to present a good alibi.

NO K. OF C. IN IRELAND.

New Haven, Oct. 15.—The national board of directors of the Knights of Columbus, in session here, definitely decided not to grant a petition received from Ireland to extend the order to that country. The directors, it is said, felt that under present conditions in that country the order would not develop as much as might be desired.

AMBASSADOR CREEL RESIGNS.

Mexico City, Oct. 15.—Eugene C. Creel has resigned as ambassador to the United States. Creel for some time past has held the double post of governor of the state of Chihuahua and ambassador and he now desires to devote all his attention to the former office. His successor to the post at Washington has not yet been decided upon.

BOYCOTT ON AUSTRIA.

Vienna, Oct. 15.—The boycott of the Austrian Lloyd Steamship company is spreading throughout Turkish ports. It affects not only goods carried under the Austrian flag, but Austrian goods shipped in other vessels. The Austrian Chambers of Commerce fear they may lose the markets to Germany.

HUNTERS NOT PLENTIFUL.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 15.—Open time on moose in Maine began at midnight last night. Fewer hunters than usual are in the woods. Hunting conditions are now favorable, enough rain having come to relieve the drought, while most of the leaves have fallen. The season is from Oct. 15 to Dec. 1.

HARMONIOUS GATHERING.

Rhode Island Republicans' Machinery Well Oiled.

POTHIER FOR GOVERNOR.

Platform Declares For Revision of Tariff by Friends of Protection, Endorses the National Republican Ticket and Recommends Bond Issue of \$800,000 to Build and Maintain State Highways.

Providence, Oct. 15.—With perfect unanimity and with nothing to mar the harmony of the occasion or to impede the well lubricated machinery, the Rhode Island Republicans at their state convention nominated a party ticket, headed by Aram J. Pothier of Woonsocket, selected four presidential electors and adopted a platform of party principles. Everything was carried through in strict accordance with the plans formulated by the Republican state central committee.

For governor, Aram J. Pothier of Woonsocket; lieutenant governor, A. W. Dennis of Providence; secretary of state, C. P. Bennett of Providence; attorney general, W. B. Greenough of Providence; general treasurer, W. A. Read of Gloucester.

All the nominations were by acclamation. The presidential electors named by the convention were J. E. Fletcher of Bristol, H. M. Brown of Providence, R. W. Crockett of Newport and E. E. Arnold of Coventry.

The platform declares in favor of a revision of the tariff by "the friends of protection"; endorses the candidacy of Taft and Sherman; commends the administration of President Roosevelt, and the services of the Rhode Island Republican members of congress; reviews the work of the last Republican state legislature, and advocates a law similar to that in New York state relative to the compensation of receivers and the cost of winding up financial institutions. It also says:

We pledge to the people of Rhode Island our earnest support of the proposition to be voted upon at the November election, providing for a bond issue of \$800,000, the proceeds of which are to be used for the building and maintaining of state highways. We invite all electors of Rhode Island to join with the Republican party in this progressive measure.

Mr. Pothier made a brief address and Mr. Dennis, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Greenough and Mr. Read followed Pothier with speeches, thanking the convention for its support, and stating that they would, if elected, perform the duties of their respective offices to the utmost satisfaction of the people of Rhode Island. Greenough said that in order to elect Taft in Rhode Island the Republican party has got to work hard against a big labor vote.

The first congressional district convention began immediately. William P. Sheffield, Jr., of Newport was nominated for congressman. The second district convention chose Congressman Adin B. Capron of Stillwater for reelection. A speech by Capron closed the day's proceedings.

INFORMANT IS QUOTED.

Healy Tells Where He Got His "Information" Regarding Promise to Keefe.

New York, Oct. 15.—The Democratic national committee last night issued a statement quoting Timothy Healy, president of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen, as authority for the allegation that Daniel J. Keefe had been promised by the president the appointment as commissioner general of immigration, in return for the Detroit labor leader's support of Mr. Taft. The national committee had promised to make known its informant if the charge was denied, as it has been both by Keefe and at the White House.

The national committee quotes Healy, in part, as follows: "I was in Washington Wednesday last week on a matter dealing with our organization which brought me in contact with an official of high standing in the government service. He said to me: 'Dan Keefe has been selected for commissioner general of immigration.' 'Is that so?' I said. 'Yes, the job is his,' he replied. 'I asked him how he knew and he told me that his informant was a member of the president's cabinet and knew what he was talking about. This information was not given to me in a confidential manner, but I will not give my informant's name, for it is plain to see what would happen to him if his name came out.' 'There is not any doubt in my mind but that the statement that the president offered Keefe the position and that Keefe agreed to accept it is true. Perhaps the offer was not made at the conference on Oct. 3 last, but I believe it has been made.'"

PLEASED WITH DAY'S WORK.

Hebron, Neb., Oct. 15.—The second day's tour of Nebraska by William J. Bryan closed here last night. Twenty-two speeches were made during the day by the Democratic candidate, varying in duration from ten minutes to one hour. With the conclusion of the work Bryan expressed himself as greatly pleased with his reception in

his home state, saying that his audiences were larger than during the other campaigns. "Three congressional districts were traversed, and in each one Bryan made an appeal for the Democratic congressional nominee. 'I should feel mighty lonesome in Washington if both the senate and the house were against me,' he said, 'but if you will give me the house, I am sure we shall make the senate feel lonesome.'"

TAFT ENDS OHIO TOUR.

Wheeling, Oct. 15.—W. H. Taft yesterday concluded his three-day campaign in Ohio. He gave it as his opinion that "the attitude of labor toward the Republican party has been misrepresented quite as freely as that of the party and the candidate toward labor, and I find no reason for the belief that labor will divide other than on the lines that have heretofore divided it. In my opinion the normal Republican labor vote will be cast as heretofore."

"In the Ohio agricultural regions," he said, "it is quite apparent that the farmers are opposed to a change that will impair their present prosperity. The situation in Ohio is entirely satisfactory and no one has any reasonable doubt that the Republican majority will be a substantial one. I certainly have no doubt on the subject myself." Again yesterday the Taft special was delayed by the derailing of an engine. Stoubeville and Wheeling furnished the big audiences of the day, although at each of the nine stops there were crowds and enthusiasm. It was just dusk when Judge Taft left his home state and pulled across the Ohio river to West Virginia.

RECEPTION NOT CORDIAL.

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—Governor Haskell of Oklahoma spoke to his former townsmen of Ottawa last night before a big crowd. In his address he criticized President Roosevelt very severely and defended his past record, denying many of the accusations against him. The reception rendered him was none too cordial and frequent questions interrupted his address. Congressman Clark of Missouri was the other speaker.

SHAH'S FATE IS SEALED.

Odessa, Oct. 15.—"The Persian people will never have a constitution unless the present shah is killed and the national party become victorious," is the opinion of a venerable member of the Duma parliament who is on his way to Constantinople with a party of his countrymen for the purpose of establishing in the Turkish capital a permanent bureau of the revolutionary party in Persia. "Our forces, the Nationalists, are gaining the upper hand and the protected empire of Teheran and the assassination of the shah are only a question of time," he added.

NEW BLOOD IN R. AND M.

Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 15.—Nine new men, a majority of the board, will have seats at the directors' table of the Boston and Maine railroad as the result of the annual meeting of the stockholders in this city. Of these newcomers, four were placed on the board at the request of John L. Hillard, who recently acquired nearly 100,000 shares of stock from the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, and the other five were nominated after consultation with Hillard.

MONTGOMERY'S BIG THEFT.

Pittsburg, Oct. 15.—In the United States district court, Judge Yumbly refused to reduce the bail of William Montgomery, former cashier of the Allegheny National bank, now in jail and accused of peculations which wrecked the bank. The bond demanded is \$150,000. United States District Attorney Dinkler opposed any reduction and informed the court that the bank had been looted of at least \$1,250,000. Montgomery admitting being responsible for a shortage of \$100,000.

MUST FURNISH \$25,000 BAIL.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 15.—After having been confined in the Fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul for ten months, Nicholas Tschakovsky, a member of the Russian revolutionist organization, is to be released by order of the Russian government. He will be obliged to furnish \$25,000 cash bail, pending his trial, the date for which has not yet been fixed. Tschakovsky's daughter is making an endeavor to raise the sum.

SOCIALISM DENOUNCED.

Boston, Oct. 15.—In a scathing arraignment of socialism, which he declared would bring imperialism upon this country, if it ever came at all, the arraying of class against class and lining up voters on other than party lines, Senator Lodge last night delivered an address at a banquet which closed the seventh annual convention of the Postmasters' Association of New England.

SHOT BY A CHUM.

Lynn, Mass., Oct. 15.—Elwin S. Emory, 13 years old, is dying as the result of being shot in the side by a companion, Horace Wiley, aged 14. The two boys, accompanied by several others, had been hunting. It is not known for a certainty just how Emory was shot, as the stories of Wiley and that of the other boys differ.

ANOTHER KIDNAPPER?

Omaha, Oct. 15.—A stranger was found in the home of Edward A. Cuddey, a millionaire packer, last night. He escaped out of an open window on the second floor when a servant detected him. He was well dressed and wore a silk hat. He was in the room of Edward Cuddey, Jr., who was kidnapped seven years ago.

LYNN STRIKE IS SETTLED.

Caunt Company Grants Principal Demands of Lasters.

WILL ARBITRATE OTHERS.

Definite Agreement to Discharge Girls and Take Back Men Who Went on Strike—Means General Resumption of Work in Several Shoe Factories Which Were Affected—Operatives in a Joyful Mood.

Lynn, Mass., Oct. 15.—The union lasters of Lynn, who have been on strike since Oct. 2 as a protest against the discharge of fifteen men by the Joseph Caunt company and the employment of girls in their places, in alleged violation of a contract, have voted to return to work, the Caunt firm having agreed to reinstate the old employees. The strike threw out of employment thousands of operatives in the city, the largest shoe center in the world.

The wildest and most enthusiastic demonstration ever seen in Lynn occurred when the vote of the mass meeting of the lasters became known. Only 1100 men were in the hall, all members in good standing of the lasters' and Lasting Machine Operators' independent unions, and the remainder of the 1500 strikers were outside anxiously awaiting the outcome.

When the result of the vote was announced pandemonium reigned supreme both inside and outside of the hall, the overjoyed men throwing their coats and hats in the air to the accompaniment of yells and cheers in several different languages.

Sixty-seven factories have been affected by the strike, and although the number of lasters who went out was only about 1800, the shutting down of their departments necessitated the suspension of work in so many other departments that about 15,000 operatives were forced into idleness. The strikers have held firm throughout, but there has been no disorder.

The principal cause of the original strike at the Caunt factory was the employment by the company of girls in the lasting department. There was also some dissatisfaction with the wage scale there. The lasters in the other factories were convinced that the workers at the Caunt shop were defending a principle which vitally affected all lasters and a sympathetic strike was called, and one after another of the factories from 11 itself without any lasters until sixty-seven shops were involved.

The strikers were enthusiastic and held frequent parades, all of which were carried on without any necessity of police interference. Soup kitchens were established by the local unions and the strikers were incensed with two meals a day. Packages of support were received from other shoe manufacturing centers.

The great obstacle in the way of effecting a termination of the strike was the attitude of the Caunt company. Joseph Caunt, head of the firm, was for a long time uncompromising in his refusal to grant any of the demands made by the striking lasters.

Early this week a tentative agreement was drawn up by which the manufacturers pledged themselves to take back all the men who had struck and to give the consideration to all differences which might arise over conditions in their shops. This document was submitted to the manufacturers individually, and for a few days forty-six of them had signed it.

The strikers reconvened yesterday afternoon, and when they were told that Joseph Caunt had receded from his previous position there was great delight and enthusiasm. Agents Tracy and Whidden of the unions explained to the men that Caunt had definitely agreed to discharge the girls employed at the Caunt factory, to take back all the lasters who had struck and to submit the adjustment of the differences over wages to a local board of arbitration, to be selected by himself and the unions. The executive board of the unions recommended that Caunt's proposition be accepted and that the strike be called off both in the Caunt factory and in all the other shops. By a vote which was almost unanimous this recommendation was adopted.

LOCOMOTIVE SMASHED.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 15.—A passenger train and a special featured in a head-on collision at Brooks station. One of the locomotives was badly smashed. Nobody on either train was severely injured, although two men on the passenger train were severely shaken up when the trains met.

ENGINE KILLS THREE MEN.

Harford, Oct. 15.—Three seafaring hands were probably fatally injured here when they jumped from a work train directly in front of an engine which was backing down a track. One man had both legs cut off. The men were brought to this city and sent to a hospital.

LORRAINE'S PUNISHMENT.

Atlanta, Oct. 15.—J. W. Lorraine, charged with stealing pay checks from the public health department in Washington last August, pleaded guilty in the federal court here and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$1000.

CUBS RETAIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Tigers Managed to Get One Game in the Series for Coveted Trophy. Detroit, Oct. 15.—By defeating Detroit, 2 to 0, the Chicago team of the National League retained its title as the champion baseball team of the world. The present series differed but little from that of last year. In the previous series Detroit managed to get one the game and then went down to four straight defeats. In the present series Detroit snatched one victory out of the five games played.

The Chicago team showed superiority in every department of the game in the series as a whole. The games were singularly free from squabbling, and on only two or three occasions were the decisions of the umpires questioned. The series, however, created less interest in the two cities most affected than that of last year. If the attendance may be taken as a guide, the paid admissions were only 42,232 for the five games and the receipts totaled but \$91,676, as compared with \$101,000 last year. Of the money taken in the playoffs of Chicago got \$27,083 and the Detroit players got \$18,140. The club owners get \$10,681 apiece and the national commission \$9497.

Final score by innings:
Chicago 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2
Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Runs—Chicago, 10; Detroit, 3.
Batters—Overall and Kling; Donovan and Schmidt.

IF JAPAN ONLY HAD THE MONEY.

She Would Fight United States and Fight Us Hard.

Boston, Oct. 15.—Li Sun Eng, editor of The Chinese Mail of Hong Kong, arrived in Boston late last night, having come here to interview Boston business men and lend his efforts to ward securing a commercial alliance between China and the United States. The Chinese editor speaks English fluently. Among other things he stated: "Our countrymen are decidedly in favor of a commercial alliance between the United States and our country. We do not look for a political alliance."

"There has been a genuine awakening among all classes of our people in the past four or five years. The people are clamoring for your scientific ideas and methods. We are producing more than we need and you Americans are slow in securing our trade. The Germans at present control the trade there."

"Japan has not much money now, but if she had it she would fight you and fight you hard. Japan is against an alliance between the United States and China, as she realizes that China is so located as to prove a power to the United States in a spot where she is weakest."

SUFFRAGETTES IN COURT.

London, Oct. 15.—A great crowd surrounded the Bow street police court when the women suffragettes and the men without work who were arrested during the disorders in front of the houses of parliament were arraigned. Mrs. Drummond, Mrs. Pankhurst and Mrs. Christabel Pankhurst demanded a trial by jury. Their cases were postponed until Oct. 21. Most of the other prisoners were ordered to give bonds for their good behavior, with the alternative of imprisonment. The women, as usual, decided to go to jail.

F. OF L. EJECTS OFFICERS.

Lowell, Mass., Oct. 15.—The state branch of the Federation of Labor elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Philip F. Sweet of Boston, president; T. J. Durgin, Holyoke, first vice president; James Wall, Worcester, second vice president; W. H. Smith, North Adams, third vice president; M. D. Collins, Cambridge, fourth vice president; and F. M. Burns, Brockton, fifth vice president. Dennis D. Driscoll was the unanimous choice for secretary-treasurer.

BIG FIRE AT WORCESTER.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 15.—The Church of Notre Dame suffered serious damage by fire late last night and two other buildings occupied by a number of small business firms were destroyed. The total loss is estimated at \$75,000, of which \$26,000 falls on the church. The fire started in a fruit and wall paper establishment, kept by Samuel Stevens. The cause of the fire is not known, but the police are inclined to believe that it was of incendiary origin.

AN OLD SOLDIER'S FATE.

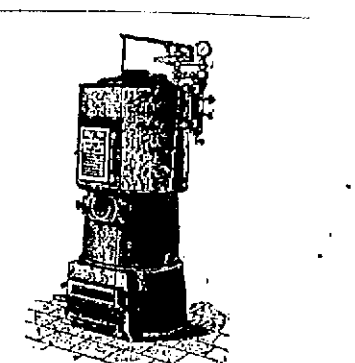
North Brookfield, Mass., Oct. 15.—Arthur Stevens, an old soldier, aged 76, living alone, was found dead on the floor of his barn, having fallen from a hay mow and striking his head on a nail that stuck up from the floor. It is believed that he was instantly killed and that he had been dead for twenty-four hours when found.

THE WEATHER.

Albany, Friday, Oct. 16.
Sun rises—5:58; sets—5:01.
Moon rises—10:12 p. m.
High water—4 a. m.; 1:15 p. m.
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THURSDAY, OCT. 15, 1908.

THE SUPPORT OF BRYAN

The Democratic party has sunk under Bryan leadership to the point where the presence of the vice presidential candidate is felt necessary on the stump in Georgia to save that state to the party, and where Oklahoma and Virginia are likely to be added to the list of southern states that have shown Republican majorities in recent years.

Just to emphasize the extent of the demoralization we print a little of a whole page editorial which the New York World published last February. The World said:

For nearly twelve years, Mr. Bryan, you have been the leader—yes, the dictator—of the Democratic party of the United States. With but one exception its policies have been your policies, its principles your principles, its platforms your platforms.

After twelve years of such domination, during which time the party has gone down to three successive national defeats, bitter disaster, ruin, disaster and ruin upon ruin, your friends insist not only that you are

the most available candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination in 1908, but that you are the only available candidate, and you yourself have issued a statement expressing your readiness and willingness to accept the nomination.

The Democratic party went out of power in the nation March 4, 1897. Four years earlier it controlled twenty-three of the forty-four states the Republicans seventeen and the Populists four.

In Congress the party division was as follows: Senate—Democrats, forty-four; Republicans, thirty-eight; Independent, one; Alliance, two; vacancies, three. House—Democrats, 223; Republicans, 128; Populists, eight.

What was the situation November 14, 1907, Mr. Bryan, after eleven years of your leadership, when you announced your receptive candidacy?

Of the forty-six states the Democrats controlled thirteen and the Republicans thirty-three.

In Congress the party division now is: Senate—Republicans, sixty-one; Democrats, thirty-one. House—Republicans, 223; Democrats, 168.

Whole states at the North are without Democratic representation in Congress, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific, north of the Ohio river, there are but six Democratic governors.

Such today is the condition of the historic Democratic party, Mr. Bryan after twelve years of your leadership.

BIRD'S-EYE VIEWS

Alstead is the latest town to hear the whir of future trolley cars and is negotiating for a line to Bethwa Falls. Wouldn't it be just as well to build the line entirely in New Hampshire—an enterprise to which the heavy meat of Keene would probably be willing to lend their aid.

Did you ever know of a hen whose feathers changed color? Mrs. Edward F. Herick of Greenwald, Maine, has such a hen. She is a Barred Plymouth Rock and is three years old. This is the second fall that after shedding its feathers the new ones have grown out a pure white in color. By spring these have changed to the natural blue. The hen is certainly a freak of nature, being almost wholly white in winter and blue in summer. Mrs. Herick has been offered money for the hen but declines to sell, choosing to keep this wonder and see what will come of her.

OUR EXCHANGES

Knocking a New Hampshire Industry
 "The natural-ice business in practically all the states wherein the winter temperature freezes the surfaces of rivers, lakes and ponds under normal conditions, has been 'going down' steadily for some years past. It will continue to 'go down' increasingly. If anybody will examine the maps issued from the department of commerce and labor in the United States government bearing on this subject, he will discover that the territory wherein natural ice can be marketed at a profit is steadily decreasing. Time was when millions of dollars were made in Maine and in other New England states from their natural ice crops; but that day has passed. And the time will come eventually, when natural ice cannot command a market outside of the immediate locality in which it is harvested. The sooner the river and pond and lake ice enterprises recognize this, the better—New York Commercial.

Bryan Represents Himself
 Governor Hughes again hit the nail on the head when he said, in his Chicago Coliseum speech, that Bryan's omission from his platform plucked the candidate, but certainly did not blind the American people, who he said, had long memories. The people know what Bryan represents even better than he does, himself.—Boston Advertiser.

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A REPUBLICAN RALLY
NEXT MONDAY EVENING

Senator Jacob H. Gallinger And Col. Rufus N. Elwell To Be Speakers

The first republican rally in this city will be held at Music Hall on Monday evening Oct. 19, instead of the 23rd as first announced. The speakers will be Hon. Jacob

H. Gallinger, United States Senator and Col. Rufus N. Elwell of Exeter. Both are well known speakers and in addition there will be other speakers, who will be announced at a later date.

Camping Out De Lux.

Camping out has ceased to be what its name implies. Camps, nowadays, have all the "modern improvements," all the luxuries of life, and the abodes themselves are constructed of well-joined boards, heavy sail cloths, and furnished with every personal luxury. The sole benefit of such "camping" is the location in some place, without fear of fire, near by a tumbling brook or silvery cascade. If this college of vantage can be attained, the campers put up with black flies and mosquitoes and pursue their daily avocations according to the new idea of the simple life. The children's camp is a most complicated affair, remarks the Boston Herald. Trained nurses, governesses, "amusement teachers," cooks and housemaids, or in this connection they should be called camp-maids, form a large establishment, though considering the pampered youngsters who are entrusted to their care, these are none too many. Little boys of seven or eight require constant oversight, and in the girls' camps, there is always a chaperon to direct and guide the sports and act in loco parentis. It is said that this sort of "turning out to grass" has worked miracles with delicate city children, while an impatient athlete of 11 years finds the sports, the rowing and the swimming exactly to his mind. Youth is quite indifferent to the niceties, and time is of no earthly use to healthy boy and girl save as it refers to meals.

The Danger of Smoke.

The pity of it is that the evils which come from smoke are all preventable. Smoke consumers exist which have proved their worth. Due care in running fires will do much. No more fuel is required under careful management to produce combustion which shall be practically smokeless. Those statements have been proved over and over again. It is a matter of community supervision, of laws rightly framed, and fearlessly administered. Fortunately inspection is by no means a difficult matter. One city, for example, handles that problem by means of a chart holding six pictures of a chimney above a factory, the first of which shows the chimney with no smoke, the second with a light smoke trailing, the other four showing greater and blacker volumes. The first conditions are passable. The last are dangerous. The inspector takes a photograph of any questionable chimney and compares it with the standard pictures. The comparison tells the story, declares Hollis Godfrey, in Atlantic. The factory is pronounced "passed," or the owner is warned to immediately conform to the regulations under penalty of the law.

Uncle Sam's Bookkeeping.

The suggestion by Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou that a better and simpler method of keeping accounts be adopted in his department, and his showing that with the matter clearly stated it would be seen that the last fiscal year ended with a surplus rather than a deficit, has attracted attention and approval. The people are not interested in the intricacies of bookkeeping. But they do want to know just how the government stands. The New York Journal of Commerce, in endorsing that part of the proposition which would involve reform in accounts, says: "If with this reorganization of the accounting system and daily statement there could be compiled, as seems to be hinted from Washington, some mode of better fiscal control, the present secretary of the treasury would have made a substantial contribution to the public service through his leadership of the department." The United States should be up to date in this matter, and congress should provide the necessary legislation.

Another step has been taken in connection with the "Boxer" indemnity received by the United States from China. The authorities at Washington notified the Chinese government that the unclaimed portion of the indemnity would be refunded, and a grateful acknowledgment has just been received. In the same connection China announces that the money so returned will be devoted to paying for the education in the United States of a number of Chinese students. This is a graceful compliment to America, and also shows keen appreciation on the part of the Chinese government of the advantages to be gained from instruction in this country.

Statistics gathered by the general education board show that the gifts of individuals to American colleges and universities amounted during the last year to more than \$23,000,000. Giving money to educational institutions is one of the most expensive habits that American millionaires have contracted.

In connection with the death of Grover Cleveland it is interesting to note that only twice before in the history of the nation has the United States been without a living ex-president.

Dr. Wiley's claim that bad bread is responsible for a large number of the divorces is just another way of blaming the trouble on the woman.

The merit standing of the new first class at the Naval academy—the graduation class of 1909—has been completed.

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Young People's Society Score /
 Big Hit With Two-Act Play

The Young People's Society at the North Church scored a success on Wednesday evening, when they presented the two act play "Mr. Bob." It was given at Association Hall and very well staged and the parts exceptionally well taken by the members of the cast, and they received well deserved recognition. The play was in two acts, the first a breakfast room at Tesham and the second the same but afternoon.

During the intermission a violin solo was given by Master Robert Elery assisted by the orchestra.

The following were the cast of characters.
 Philip Royson, Philip Badger, Robert Brown, clerk of the law-firm of Benson & Benson, Harold Gardner, Jenkins, Frank Grant, Katherine, Grace Philbrick, Marion, May King, Abby, Patty, Lillie Watson, Miss Rebecca, Mabel Somerby.

NEW CASTLE SCHOOLS CLOSED

Town Board of Health Afraid of Spread of Diphtheria

The board of health in the town of New Castle appears to be onto their job and has ordered that every school in the town be closed for one week.

This is done in order that extra precaution be exercised against diphtheria in the way of thorough disinfection of every school room in the town.

This is a live move on the part of the town officials and will go a long way in preventing the disease, which seems to have no beginning or ending in this city.

NAVAL ORDERS

Midshipman C. C. Bassett from the Charleston and granted sick leave three months.

Midshipman K. H. Donavin, from the Milwaukee to the Wyoming.

Midshipman C. C. Clark, from the St. Louis to the Wyoming.

Surg. C. H. T. Lowndes, from the South Dakota to home and wait orders.

Ensign Assistant Paymaster J. F. Kutz, from Mare Island to the Wyoming.

Assistant Paymaster J. C. Tilton to duty on the Franklin, Norfolk, Va.

Arrived: North Carolina and Montana at Hampton Roads; Priaric at Tangle Sound, Chesapeake bay; T. A. M. Chaven at Beaufort, N. C.; Dahlgren at Wilmington, N. C.; Worden and Bulldie at Charleston, S. C.; West Virginia, Colorado, Maryland, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Perry, Preble, Stewart and Hull at Honolulu; Montana at Norfolk.

Sailed: Ranger, from Naples for Villafraia; Stingham, Earney, DeLong and Thayer, from Philadelphia for Annapolis; Rocket, from Norfolk for Tangle Sound; New Hampshire, from Bridgeport, Ct. for New York; Montana, from Hampton Roads for Norfolk.

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TUTTLE AGAIN HEADS B. & M. DIRECTORS Board Increased To Sixteen Men, Four From Connecticut

Lawrence, Oct. 17. The board of directors of the Boston & Maine railroad was increased from 12 to 16 members, and the list is made up by the executive committee at its meeting last Wednesday was unanimously elected at the annual meeting of stockholders in City Hall yesterday.

Of the new directors, nine are from Massachusetts, Maine and Connecticut, were chosen for the first time. Of the old board, of which there was a vacancy caused by the death of H. N. Abbot of Marlboro, seven were re-elected and four were dropped.

President Lucius Tuttle leads the list of directors, and as he is the only married railroad man on the board is regarded as the man to whom the stockholders will look for guidance when the board meets, which it will probably do within a week to select the general officers of the road.

The meeting was attended by about 15 stockholders, representing 228,195 of the 302,000 shares of stock outstanding, all of which was voted for the directors elected, as follows: Lucius Tuttle, Brookline; Alvah W. Sullivan, Boston; William Whitcomb, Belmont; Samuel C. Lawrence, Medford; Joseph H. White, Brookline; Moses Williams, Brookline; John L. Billard, Meriden, Ct.; Samuel H. Lowrey, New Haven, Ct.; Charles F. Lindsey, Meriden, Ct.; Frank T. Brown, Norwich, Ct.; Frederick C. Dunham, Concord; Edwin F. Greene, Weyland; James M. Prindle, Boston; Fred

R. Richards, Portland; Edward P. Ricker, South Poland, Me.

The members of the old board retained are Messrs. Tuttle, Lawrence, Olney, Sullivan, Whitcomb, Williams. Those dropped were Henry E. Booth, of New York; Walter Buchanan of Woburn; Alexander Buchanan of Boston; and Thomas J. Reed of Boston.

These men were dropped, it was stated because they are no longer large holders of the road's stock, having sold out to the New Haven interests when the merger proposition was in the ascendant.

All of the members of the old board re-elected with the exception of Gen. Lawrence appeared at the time of the merger controversy to be strictly in favor of New Haven control, and no surprise was manifested by the stockholders when it appeared that they were to be retained.

The surprise of the new directors is the presence upon it of four members from Connecticut, the corporate home of the New Haven road. Both President Tuttle and Mr. Billard, however, denied that this had any significance.

"These new members," said President Tuttle, "are all business men of high standing. They are not identified with either New Haven or Boston interests. As to the members from Connecticut it is natural that Mr. Billard, who owns 100,000 shares of Boston & Maine stock should desire to have some of his friends on the board."

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reason for selecting three Connecticut men besides himself as members of the directorate. "It is only natural," he said "for a man owning 110,000 shares of stock in a railroad to wish to have as large a representation on the board of directors as possible."

He refused to say whether he had selected these members. "You will have to guess the rest yourselves," he told the reporters, when asked that question.

Samuel Hemingway is president of the Second National Bank of New Haven. This bank of which President Mellen is also a director, is known as the chief depository of the New Haven railroad.

Charles L. Lindsey is secretary of the Bradley & Hubbard Manufacturing Company of Meriden, Ct. He is also a director in several banks and corporations with which Mr. Billard is associated.

John L. Billard, who took over the 110,000 shares of stock formerly held by the New Haven railroad, is president of the Meriden Savings Bank, a depository of New Haven railroad funds, and vice-president of the Second National Bank of New Haven.

Frank T. Brown of Norwich, Ct., is an attorney, but admits that he is connected as director with several small corporations. He would not say what these corporations were.

Frederick C. Dunham is treasurer of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company of Manchester, N. H., vice-president of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, and a director in the American Trust Company.

Edwin F. Greene is treasurer of the Pacific Mills and a director of the National Shawmut Bank, the City Trust Company and various manufacturing institutions.

James M. Prindle is a cotton merchant and a director in the Boston Elevated, the Commonwealth and New England Trust companies and the Second National Bank of Boston.

Frederick E. Richards is vice-president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of Portland, Me.

Edward P. Ricker is president of the Poland Springs Company and a director in the Maine Central Railroad Company.

The stockholders further voted to authorize such amendments and alterations of article VII. of the lease of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation to the Boston & Maine Railroad, dated June 22, 1887, as well permit the sale by the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation of its passenger and freight terminals in the city of Lawrence, and of certain of the approaches thereto, to the Lawrence bridge commission, created under the provisions of chapter 513 of the acts of Massachusetts of 1906.

President Tuttle explained to the stockholders that owing to an amendment to the law passed by last year's Legislature, the Boston & Maine's bond issuing power was increased by \$5,199,136, and that, added to its previous issuing power, gives it the right at the present time to issue about \$12,000,000 in bonds.

No bonds were issued last year, he said because of the financial depression, and the improvements contracted for, amounting to about \$8,000,000 were provided for by short term notes. This increased the floating indebtedness of the road to about \$10,000,000, and it was chiefly to fund that that the new bond issue was asked for.

It was stipulated in the vote authorizing the sale by the Boston & Lowell of its passenger and freight terminals in Lawrence that the price should not be less than \$400,000.

ALL AGREE BUT AUSTRIA

Settlement of Far Eastern Troubles Well Advanced

Constantinople, Oct. 15.—It was officially announced last night that all the powers concerned, except Austria-Hungary, have agreed to the principle of an international conference to settle the Balkan difficulty. Austria-Hungary has not officially replied. Germany has accepted the invitation provided that the programme be restricted.

It has been stated Austria-Hungary declines to participate unless it is agreed that the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina be not discussed and accepted and legalized by the powers without debate.

Turkey desires a free hand in Macedonia as well as cash compensation from Bulgaria for the Oriental railroad in Eastern Roumelia and some other outstanding claims.

All the powers are in favor of a fixed program and a majority of them are inclined to omit from the discussions the question of the passage of the Dardanelles and the Cretan proclamation for union with Greece.

The baseball fans are now saying I told you so.

POTHIER REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF RHODE ISLAND

Providence, R. I., Oct. 15.—Arden J. Pothier of Woonsocket was nominated for Governor by acclamation by the Republican state convention here on Wednesday. Senator John P. Sanborn of Newport, in a few well chosen remarks, placed him in nomination. He praised Mr. Pothier's public career and declared him the choice of the entire Republican party. Cheers upon cheers rang through the convention hall when he was declared the nominee of the party.

Then came the nomination of the following ticket: For Lieutenant Governor, Arthur W. Dennis of Providence; for attorney-general, William B. Greenough of Providence; for general treasurer, Walter A. Reed of Gloucester. The slate was elected by acclamation.

Joseph E. Fletcher of Bristol, H. Martin Brown of Providence, Robert W. Gorkin of Newport and Edward C. Arnold of Coventry were chosen presidential electors.

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PRINCIPAL L'AMERCEUX OF TRAIPE ACADEMY VERY ILL

Principal G. H. D. L'Amereux of Traipe Academy at Kittery is very ill at the Cottage Hospital, where he was hurriedly taken Tuesday night. He was taken sick during the day and he became so bad that he was rushed to the Cottage Hospital in this city and an operation performed at eleven o'clock for appendicitis.

A GREAT CONCERT

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The Knapp's Millionaire Band, one of the famous bands of the country, was heard to a good advantage by a small but appreciative audience at Music Hall on Wednesday afternoon and evening. The band is made up of a fine lot of musicians, every one a man who has had a lot of experience and capable of solo work.

The band was assisted by Miss Florence Drake Lett, as Prima Donna, soprano, Otto Mesloh, cornet and Ulie Gignas, flute, all artists in their line and they were obliged to answer several encores. Every one of the selections were of exceptional merit and showed the remarkable ability of this aggregation of musicians.

The concert as a whole was as good as has ever been heard in this city, and it is not a bit inferior to the famous band of Sousa. Miss Le Roy is an artist of a most pleasing voice and she made a great hit with the critical audience present.

The following was the program: Overture, H. Guarany, Gomez

Cornet Solo, Polka Fantastique, Mesloh

Ballet, Egyptian, Otto Mesloh

(1) Allegro non troppo

(2) Allegretto

(3) Andante Expressivo,

(4) Allegro non troppo

Waldhorn, Quartette, Roman Cras

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Invitation, A la Valse, Von Weber

Intermission

Polonaise, Militaire, Chloah

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Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of October, 1903, the said Harry A. Titus was duly adjudged bankrupt; that the next meeting of his creditors will be held at the Clerk's Office in the Post Office Building, in Portsmouth, in said District, on Friday, the 22nd day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, appoint a trustee and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. The question of granting the trustee then to be chosen leave to sell the property and estate of said bankrupt at public auction or private sale will then be considered, and if no objection is made such leave will be granted.

FREDERICK E. SMITH, CLERK.

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